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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/010,203
Applicant : Goldino Sousa Alves
Filed : November 30, 2001
TC/A.U. : 3683
Examiner : Bradley T. King

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the office action mailed August 15, 2003, setting a three (3) month period for response which expires on November 15, 2003, amend the above-captioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.